



PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 5484-053
Client No. PX1045-US/SSM

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Tae-Gyoung Kang

Serial No.	09/458,506	Examiner:	Ori Nadav
Filed:	December 9, 1999	Group Art Unit:	2811
Confirmation No.	8916		
For:	LAYOUT METHOD OF SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE		

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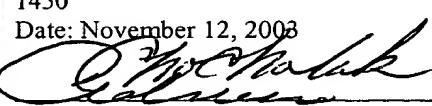
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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action dated 8/25/2003, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

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Responsive to the Office Action dated August 25, 2003, enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

<u>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</u>					
For:	Number After Amendment	Previous Number	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	56	56	0	x \$18 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	14	14	0	x \$86 =	\$0.00
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